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#### **Anticipated Floor Schedule**

On Tuesday, the House will meet at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour and 2:00 p.m. for legislative business. Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

#### **One Minutes**

#### Suspensions (9 bills):

- 1) H.R. 4204 American River Pump Station Project Transfer Act of 2005 (Sponsored by Rep. Doolittle / Resources Committee)
- 2) H.R. 5311 Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area Act (Sponsored by Rep. Johnson (CT) / Resources Committee)
- 3) S. 1382 A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to accept the conveyance of certain land, to be held in trust for the benefit of the Puyallup Indian tribe (Sponsored by Sen. Cantwell / Resources Committee)
- 4) H.R. 1499 Heroes Earned Retirement Opportunities Act (Sponsored by Rep. Foxx / Ways and Means Committee)
- 5) H.R. 4912 Rural Health Care Capital Access Act of 2006 (Sponsored by Rep. Ney / Financial Services Committee)
- 6) H.R. 4902 Byron Nelson Congressional Gold Medal Act (Sponsored by Rep. Burgess / Financial Services Committee)
- 7) H.Res. 627 Congratulating Chris Carpenter on being named the Cy Young Award winner for the National League for the 2005 Major League Baseball season (Sponsored by Rep. Carnahan / Government Reform Committee)
- 8) H.R. 5037 Respect for America's Fallen Heroes Act (Sponsored by Rep. Rogers (MI) / Veterans' Affairs Committee)
- 9) H.R. 3829 Jack C. Montgomery Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center Designation Act (Sponsored by Rep. Boren / Veterans' Affairs Committee)

# **Special Orders**

#### Wednesday's Forecast

On Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.

## Suspensions (1 bill):

- 1) H.Res. \_\_ Encouraging all eligible Medicare beneficiaries who have not yet elected enroll in the new Medicare Part D benefit to review the available options and to determine whether enrollment in a Medicare prescription drug plan best meets their current and future needs for prescription drug coverage (Sponsored by Rep. Johnson (CT) / Energy and Commerce Committee)
- H.R. 5122 National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007 (Subject to a Rule, Begin Consideration) (Sponsored by Rep. Hunter / Armed Services Committee)

## **Quote of the Day**

"Workers' wages went up sharply in April. Average hourly earnings climbed to \$16.61, a big 0.5 percent jump from March. Over the last 12 months, earnings rose 3.8 percent, the largest 12-month gain in nearly five years."

-- AP (5/5/06)